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Title: METHODS FOR IDENTIFYING SPECIES OF SHIGELLA AND *E. COLI*
USING OPERON SEQUENCE ANALYSIS

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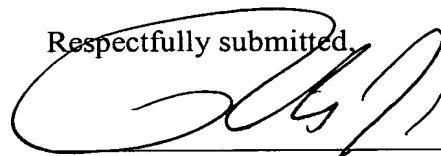
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